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SECRETARY HAMMOND'S PLAINT

The burden of Secretary of State Hammond's speech at the theatre Fri-day night was the awful crime the Democratic legislature had committed when it amended the laws of 1836 re-lating to fees to be paid into the secretary's office. He attempted to make it appear that a great iniquity had been committed when the sum to be collected on each one thousand dollars of capital stock of any company or corporation was reduced to twenty-five cents and the maximum amount to be charged and collected from any corporation should not exceed twenty-five

undred dollars.
The secretary then went on to show how through the enactment of this on the incorporation of the Oregon Short Line railroad and the incorporation of the Union Pacific railroad.

Truly it was a terrible arraignment, but it was entirely without sting. That amendment to the law of 1896, which Secretary Hammond branded as in iquitous legislation, received the ap the Republican governor Heber M. Wells. Why didn't Secretary Hammond use his influence with Gov-ernor Wells (which is said to be very great) to veto this amendment? If the Democratic legislature sinned in passing this amendment did not the Re-In his tirade against the Democratic party all that Secretary Hammond does at most is to show his dislike for all things Democratic.

When he got to his figures he seemed to think that he was driving nalls into a Democratic coffin. Never was man more mistaken. Evidently Secretary Hammond never heard of the story of The Goose that Lays the Golden Egg." and how the fool owner of the goose killed it to get at the eggs. If he had, he would scarcely have talked so much about the amount the state lost through Democratic legislation. If he does not know, every one else who in-terested himself in the question of changing the law in regard to incorporation fees knows, that the Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific railroads ould not have been incorporated in Etah, but would have gone to another state for that purpose. So that instead of the state losing \$14,000 through Democratic legislation, as alleged by Secretary Hammond, it gained \$5,000.

retary Hammond is not a succes try again.

ANOTHER SPOOK-CHASER.

In his personal organ, the Populis candidate for congressman has made some sensutional charges against the Republican candidate for the same position. Warren Foster alleges that Alma Eidredge has "a most unsavery court record"; that he was once "indicted for murder in the first degree, the case being dismissed because the ses had died or disappeared.

Mr. Foster says further: "Every man on The Herald knew the facts, and ws it now, although it has not been the Democrats to settle. mentioned at all in that paper.

The Herald is not making a personal campaign; it is not delving into ancient history for topics of discussion; it is Collected by Republicans in not dragging skeletons of the past the political arena; it is not reviving old conditions or their incidental complications. The Herald has no use for the methods of the ghost-dancer the spook-chaser, or the blackmaller,

There are political issues in this cam paign, the settlement of which is of greater importance to the people of Utah than all the dry bones being rattled by the Tribune or Foster's paper. There are political questions involving the welfare and prosperity, not only of Utah, but of the whole republic.

It is of infinitely more importance for Utah to maintain her place in the sliver column than to join this hue and ory against some local institution. which is adjusting itself better than

hostle demonstrations can adjust it. Mr. Foster wants to know why The Herald has not resorted to the methods of the opposition. Such weapons and such methods beyong exclusively the Republican organ, with its party. They are welcome to the mo-

charges made by the Tribune, because he has ignored them. Logically, the same conclusion would follow the si-lence of Alma Bidredge. But condi-tions psculiar to Utah and occurrences

THE SP incidental to frontier life are only agi-tated victoraly in these days for the purpose of convealing the real political Dames before the people,

THE COUNTY DEBT.

THE GOVERNOR'S PARTISANSHIP.

That speech delivered by Governor Heber M. Wells at the theatre + Friday night, demonstrated two things very clearly: That the Republican party is behind the Tribune's fight on B. H. Roberts, and that

the governor is an intense partisan. The opposition of Governor Wells to Mr. Roberts for political ressons is perfectly natural; but for the chief reason he assigned, it is most unnatural.

His speech was but an echo of the outery of partisan malice; a parrot-like repetition of unsupported charges made solely for political effect. It was the mechanical effort of a subservient follower, cringing under the lash of a party boss, trying to gain a respite by self-abase

A more pitiable spectacle it would be hard to imagine The chief executive of this state, who is supposed to represent the bole people of the commonwealth, who is expected to maintain the dignity of his high position, who has sworn to enforce the laws, arises the a demagogue in a public assemblage and proclaims to all the world that the law is not enforced, that he is not attempting to enforce it.

If the charges made by the Tribune and echoed by the governor be true, then what excuse has the chief executive of the state to offer for such a condition?

If they are not true, to what depths is the governor ready to descend to help his party? If he doesn't know them to be true, what sort of an executive is he to lend his official influence to their circulation. not only in Utah, but throughout the United States?

Governor Wells should not forget that he owes the position he holds more to the love other men bear for his father's name and memory than to any inherent ability of his own. He knows that when he + joins the hue and cry his back is turned upon the associates of a lifetime, upon the men who exalted him, who vested him with the importance his title gives to his utterances. And yet, he places the seal of his approval upon a criticism of childhood training he himself received: upon a denunciation of a system to which he owes his being; proposition to disfranchise a class from which he sprang, and from which he has drawn the nourishment of his life.

The governor will not contend that men are entitled to vote who are not eligible to office. His contention really and logically means their disfranchisement.

It cannot be said in his defense that Governor Wells spoke hastily, • or that he had no chance to weigh the effect of his assertions upon the • people of other states. His speech had been carefully prepared. He + read it. It was with deliberation, then, that he took cognizance, as a politician, of alleged conditions, which, as an executive sworn to enforce the laws, he confessedly ignores.

One of two conclusions is inevitable from this humiliating perform- ance; the governor has either been terrorized by the threats of a class +
 of politicians he has hitherto affected to despise; or he is willing to +
 sacrifice the good name of his own state in order to gain a temporary +
 party advantage. Either conclusion leaves the governor in a position + his best friends wight deplore.

WORDS AND DEEDS.

that off train passes; he may repeat, bast and sulkiness, the American gov-parrot like, all that he has been coached ernment will probably make no serparrot like, all that he has been coached to say in silver localities; but these facts remain:

will finally came around.

ning votes that he wouldn't be bound extension. by a party caucus. But the record shows that Aima Eldredge was bound by a small percentage of his party by a small percentage because it was with McKinley in 1896; and that he voted for gold when 80 per cent of his neighbors voted for

away off in Washington surrounded by ready taken. big-bugs and goldbugs, no matter wha 80 per cent of his constituents might SIX MONTHS OF DINGLEYISM.

THOSE UNPAID THOUSANDS.

According to the record in -36 the Republican county
-36 the Republican county
administration disbursed...\$250,472 02

But the New York ma

They left unpaid expenses of their administration amounting to SARS 48
These unpaid expenses of the Repub-can administration left over were as

Salaries, etc ... Old accounts of 1896...... 7,561 88 Interest on bonds due Dec.

tions were incurred by the Republicans, but left over with other expenses for

COUNTY REVENUES.

THE MARIA TERESA.

When Lieutenant Hobson succeeded in raising the Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa, the whole country rejoiced that the vessel was to be added to the American navy. There was a double triumph in her case. First, she was beaten and sunk through American beaten and sunk through American beaten and sunk through American science and skill.

Being doubtful, they should be the people of Utah want no

Now all the science and the skill and the time and energy and money expended have gone for naught. White States senate. Mr. Brown represents pended have gone for naught. While being towed she foundered off San Salrador Bahamas Thursday, She was overtaken by a furious storm, and was not able to weather it. The captain and overtaken by a furious storm, and was not able to weather it. The captain and crew abourd her were all taken off, and United States senate are well known

no lives were lost. Her loss will be regretted, but it pointees It has been said that Mr. Roberts could not be avoided. Her rescue was a must be considered guilty of the triumph for Lieutenant Hobson, Now also lies at the bottom of the sea, there to rot and become a complete wrech

THE SPANISH REFUSAL.

The Spanish peace commissioners have fatly refused to accede to the de-mands of the American commissioners aries and maintenance in mands of the American commissioners aries and maintenance in for the cession of the entire group of the Philippine islands. Accompanying For the same purpose in 1897, ratic bond issue.....\$120,000 tretterating Spain's position on the question, and also bringing up the quespain is very sore. There were also ar-

the nation d Republican organization to break off negotiations. It is hardly is affiliating with gold monometalism and empression of the people."

ties, and for Spain a renewal of hos-

Mr. Eldredge is a McKinley man; he endorses and applauda McKinley's policies; he this year newed his fealty to the national Republican party and there had been any change of plan regarding that island, or if she constructed the standard of the she constructed the she can be shown in the she ca its principles; and he read and up-proved the St. Louis platform. garding that island, or if she con-strued it as a sign of weakness, she proved the St. Louis platform.

Now this simply means that Alma Eldredge is a goldbus, pledged to goldbus policies, loyal to a goldbus organization, and agreeable to a goldbus platform.

struct it as a sign or weakness, sne was never more mistaken, much mistaken, as she has been. She must not take lenlency and unusual consideration for weakness. The administration's error in extending the time for He may say for the purpose of win-ling votes that he wouldn't be bound extension. The Spaniards should have been marched out of the Island without any delays. They have no appre-ciation of the motives which prompted the president in his course in this matter. They may rest assured that will be no more extensions of time They may rest assured that there

liver. Spain may as well understand at first as at last that the United States alleged representative of the people will not recede from their position al-

Why are Republican orators silent concerning the farmer's prosperity? They are congratulating Utah on the increased prices under the Dingley

But the New York market reports In May of this year wheat command-d as high as \$1.77 per bushel.

Yesterday the same grade of wheat called for 66% cents per bushel.
In six months of Dingleyism wheat

ished for just that sort of food. It isn't every man or woman so born and reased that will relish them as the

governor seems to do.

NO TIME FOR FOOLISHNESS.

Every candidate for the legislature

on the Republican ticket is doubtful on so Mahomet went to the hill. silver; some of them were goldbugs in

the Republican party of Utah perfect-ly, but he does not represent the finan-

McKinley men or administration ap-

"It is no time now for foolishness,"

THE COUNTY CLERK.

The work of the county clerk has een increased since 1896. But more been increased since 1836. But more There was no need of a bond issue, work is being done today at less ex- but nothing else would satisfy the Repense than under the Republican county administration.

under the Democrats, it was 12.145 23 This was a saying to the tax-payers in one year of 6,800 T2 During the present year the saying will be almost twice as great.

A DANGEROUS PRECEDENT.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found

of the board," or by the order of anybody else.

COUNTY ASSESSMENT.

\$ 999,348 48 the year 1896..... 1,061,054 ds

SAUERKRAUT AS AN ISSUE.

With shocking disregard of the amenities, I. N. Fisher, who wishes to be county auditor, and Arthur Graham, would-be clerk, continue to ignore The Herald's offer, Invited to send in their affidavits denying all connection with the so-called A. P. A., they have caused such affidavits to be printed in another paper. Although the originals of those documents have not come to this office. The Herald is willing to concede their authenticity because I does not care whether they are true

There are some other mysteries, Alma Hidredge may talk silver till Spain wants to indulge in a little bom- however, that should be cleared up. Were L N. Fisher and Arthur Graham

Candidates for the legislature should not be doubtful on silver; or, if doubt, so there was only one thing left for number of the sound of the sound

The hill would not come to Mahomet;

NATIONAL PROSPERITY.

There was in the treasury of the United States at beginning of the war with

the signing of the protocol on the 12th of August \$ 98,000,000 The estimated additional ex-

tional treasury after all actual and estimated expenses of the war had been

paid \$ 50,000,000 sublicans in congress. It was part of their "currency reform," silver-assas sination plan.

... \$18,945 95 THE BOYS WANT TO RETURN!

Letters from Manila, which appeared in yesterday's Herald, show very plainly that the boys belonging to the Utah batteries are very anxious to return to their mountain home. They have no complaints to make, no regrets to ex-Every so-called "silver Republican" who is now a member of the regular Republican organisation in Utah, who is now a member of the regular Republican organisation in Utah, who is affiliating with the McKinleyites of 1888, should peruse that silver Republican address officially issued on the 5th of last April and approved by the Tribune. It is as follows:

"We point to the fact that the national Republican party of the United States will not the national Republican organism addresses of bimetallism and that local indepence to the national Republican matched the cause of bimetallism and that local indepence to the national Republican organism and comments of the same of the principles of liberty, and not because they country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they in fight for their country and the principles of liberty, and not because they confide the women of Utah, is the same J. Ellen Foster, who is now pretending to take such as interest in they are anxious to return they are anxious to return they are anxious to fight they would not define they confidence and they confidence and proved by the tion.

With glory and given their state much fame. They look at the case just as the boys do—that they have served the supported in his race for congress by every golding the boys do—that they have served the government well and faithfully, and tion.

that the war being practically over, they should be permitted to come home.

There is little doubt but that the rescular ampy will very soon be largely line and sent out by permission of the board of each pupil take one of these circular army will very will sacred being done by order of the board, though the official records are silent, on the subject.

Do the members of the board realistic being done by order of the board, though the official records are silent, on the subject.

Do the members of the board realistic being shown to establish such a precedent as would certainly result? On they mean to establish such a precedent as would certainly result?

The Herald expects to see the school amendment defeated, with all the other proposed changes in the regular ampy such is the proposed.

KILLING TWO BIRDS.

The Herald expects to see the school amendment defeated, with all the other proposed changes in the regular amendment defeated, with all the other proposed changes in the expects to see the school amendment defeated, with all the other proposed changes in the constitution; it has no objection to the simple of the board, of the public schools, "by order of the public schools, "by order of the board," or by the order of any pile of the public schools, "by order of the board," or by the order of any pile of the public schools, "by order of the board," or by the order of any pile of the public schools, "by order of the board," or by the order of any pile of the public schools, "by order of the board," or by the order of any pile of the public schools, "by order of the board," or by the order of any pile of the board," or by the order of any pile of the board," or by the order of any pile of the board," or by the order of any pile of the board," or by the order of any pile of the board," or by the order of any pile of the board, or by the order of any pile of the board, and the production of the products of the products of the products of the product of th

Stamese Republican party of Utah, it will be in order for him to interview a prominent member of his political family in the party woodshed.

department for example:

In 1896 this department cost the taxpayers of Salt Lake coun-

WHAT THE ELECTION MEANS.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat. a strong Republican paper and a shrewd observer of politics, says that if the Democrats win this year, it is certain the silver issue will be up again in

Republican national administrations are very much like Republican local administrations. They are always all amendments. Yours respectfully, all amendments. Yours respectfully, all amendments. S. S. NEWTON, 28 West Fifth North street.

taxes for war purposes this increase

During the month of October new was decreased about \$8.807,717
And this is Republican financiering.

When it comes to lamenting, Professor Norton beats Jeremiah all to pleces.

STATE PRESS COMMENT.

Fillmore Progress: The Progress has no politics, but, like other people, we have preferences, and feel at liberty to express, them, and support any man, regardless of party amiliation, and it is with pleasing where we view the candidacy of A. W. McCune for the United States senatorship, and would be more than pleased to see him selected. Should the legislature so honor Mr. McCune, the people of this state will have a senator of whom they will be justly proud and on whom they can implicatly rely.

Tintle Miner: Wiley Brown said in his speech Saturday night that he had been a bimetallist for 20 years. And yet he supported, stummed and voted for McKinley in 1858. That's the kind of "bi-metallists" the Republican party is made up of.

Payson Globe-Header: Now doth the little politician improve each shining hour-because there isn't many more left for him to improve before the election Brigham City Bugier: Brigham's valuable surplus water is beginning to rim to waste down Boxedier creek and out into the fields beyond. Why is it not harnessed and utilized?

THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.

John Henry's senatorial aspirations are tarred with the same stick that is ben milk spechs for Repubbykian tackat. Ven man faithe governor was trying to use on a Democratic candidate. When this dawns on the genial "father" of the dawns on the genial "father" of the sinsere ven in sal vat ha did sai. Nossir. Ay tank, (b)e, Broder Heiser ha not ben sinsere ven ha sal vat ha did sal. Nossir. Ef poligime ha hen rong all talm, en vy not Broder Vella, Guvernur off dis har stalt, malk sum charge an hav poligiment arrested? Vy ha kepe kviet until ha see

agance to compare it with Democratic partisan man fallar vat not kare vat he

The St. Louis Globe-Demograt.

ONLY ONE ITEM.

Arrested? Vy ha kepe kviet antil ha see Broder Roberts run for kongress an en en en mout an malk holer. Vy ha not demand, es governur of stat, et prosecuting liars prosecute? Ole. Ay tank Broder Herbert has been hippykrit an vas simply blind partisan man fallar vat not kare vat he to ally so ha can bear Dimmykrats."

Huldah she ben gute fallar ut. Ay lank Broder Brown to said vat she did sai. Yassar.

Ay land ven Broder Herbert has a fall other carpets of Sait Lake county administration, the inspection of fruit trees cost the taxpayers 23.353 90

WHAT THE ELECTION MEANS.

The St. Louis Globe-Demograt. Broder Brown and half libem.

ONLY ONE ITEM.

Are the true from the language and any select antil ha see the mouth as a conting. Potatoes are protected also. They see in the sell in Utah at from 15 cents to 40 cent

Oder fallars vat spechemaik tal salm of song. Ay ben vote Broder Roberts. Yas-

SCHOOL TAX AMENDMENT.

Were I. N. Fisher and Arthur Graham in the silver Jasue will be up again in 1900.

That is all true. If the Democrata win this year, silver will certainly be combination known as the America. The silver will be proved that the sale was a state to the silver will be up again in 1900.

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MISTAKES OF MR. FISHER, It has been the publicans with the years that the publicans for a rought.

MISTAKES OF MR.

convention, he could not have counted upon his present strengous efforts to prevent the fulfillment of the prophecy. When he wrote in mournful cadence that never again would he support such in the resolutions adopted by that that never again would be support such a party organization, it was not then that he decided to turn his solemn promise into a joic.

But the party of Brown and Hanna would not recede from its gold position. The and unlimited coinage of silver, so there was only one thing left for and we reaffirm the St. Louis platform:

The resolutions adopted by that a many and possibly they can establish their respective from their respective forms in their respective forms in their respective forms in their respective forms in their respective forms and once and conclude explanation of the national platform:

"We are unqualifiedly opposed to the mence right now, and do not come and sak me and others to do what they can do themselves. The courts have ruled for all their respective forms in the resolutions adopted by that and possibly they can establish their own business houses in their respective forms in their respective forms in their respective forms in their respective forms in the resolutions adopted by that and possibly they can establish their own business houses in their respective forms in their r that all such taxes were illegal. That is NATIONAL DEBT INCREASE.

Republican national administrations are very much like Republican local sure you veto the right one, say "no" to

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